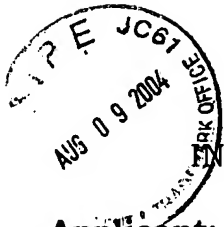


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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND ELECTION OF SPECIES

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action dated July 7, 2004.
Applicant submits the following Remarks, beginning on the next page.